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The First Corps—Notice to Veterans.
HEADQUARTERS FIRST CORPS,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 22, 1864.
Veterans desiring to enlist in the 1st Army Corps, should report in person at the office of Col. O. F. Johnson, Soldiers' Rest, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Depot, Washington, D. C. Any Veteran who has served two years, has been honorably discharged, and is physically qualified, may enlist in the Corps for one, two or three years.
Those enlisting will receive from the Government a bounty of \$300 as soon as they are mustered in, and in addition, the regular enlistment in the Government, in proportion to the period of enlistment, as follows: \$100 for one year's service, one-third paid on enlistment; \$200 for two years' service, one-third on enlistment; \$300 for three years' service, one-third on enlistment.
They will be credited to the quota of the district in which they or their families may be domiciled and will, therefore, be entitled to local bounties.
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The best arms in the possession of the Government will be furnished these troops, and they will be allowed to retain their arms when honorably discharged.
Headquarters Major General Hancock—158 street, between 19th and 20th streets.
Office of the Board for the Examination of Officers—Brigadier General John R. Brooke, corner, 183 G street, between 19th and 20th streets.
By order of Major General Hancock,
FREDERICK ANDERSON,
Dec 27-15 Assistant Adjutant General.

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TOOTHACHE CURED INSTANTLY BY THE
MUND'S METHOD OF PALMISTO. I have
acted at once upon the nerves connected
with the teeth, and relieve instantly. By
this method every decayed tooth can be
restored by filling and building up with
White Metal Filling. Guaranteed. Teeth
extracted over roots at 360 Pa. av. mar 13-1m

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TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN.
I would advise all persons having teeth
to extract to call at the LAW OFFICE
and have them taken out without pain.
Also, call and examine the Doctor's new and
improved method of inserting ARTIFICIAL
Teeth. I have the great improvement in his teeth,
and will have them in no other style than this
new and valuable method. Gold, Silver
and Rubber Plates at the old price, as we
have not advanced the price on our work since the
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Where they continue to manufacture and have
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Trunks, &c., repaired promptly and thoroughly.
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Awarded by the Maryland Institute of Baltimore
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HARNESS OIL,
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It will eradicate all derangement of the STOM-
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STRENGTH AND BEAUTY TO THE YOUNG.
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CHRONIC DIARRHÆA, DYSENTERY,
JAUNDICE, AGUE AND FEVER.
OBTAIN A CIRCULAR, in which will be found
testimonials of PEOPLE WELL KNOWN in Wash-
ington, D. C., in 1867.

NOTICE TO OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS.

AN ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE.
DETACHMENT OF THE 134th REG'T.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1, 1865.
The attention of officers and soldiers is called
to the fact that the Government is desirous of
procuring the services of a large number of
soldiers in the Government warehouses connected with this
detachment.
The Government requires the space occupied by
said property for the effects of those now in the
service.
A description of each article should be given
with the name of the owner, and the date of
the receipt, accompanied by an oath or affirmation
showing that the claimant is the authorized
party.
The goods will be forwarded to the address of
the person so notified at his expense.
All of the above mentioned property remain-
ing unclaimed ninety days from this date will be
sold at public auction.
JAMES M. MOORE,
mh 2-15m 51 Capt. Asst. Qr. U. S. Army.

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Watches and Jewelry repaired in the best man-
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ness, pleasure, or the duties of life; who are
middle-aged or old men, who, from the follies of
youth or other causes, feel a debility in advance of
their years, and who desire to be cured of their
debility, and to be able to perform the duties of
life, should first read "THE
SECRET FRIEND." Married Ladies will learn
the truth of the importance of preserving "The Secret
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Sent to any address in a sealed envelope on re-
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JOHN HART, Stage Manager.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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RETAIN AFFECTION.—It has been frequently
suggested that PLANTATION BITTERS are, in
another form, the "Elixir of Love" of the
Ancients. That they do much to "quiet" family
jars, and reconcile feuding wives to cross hus-
bands, we verily believe. When domestic quiet
is restored and conjugal felicity reigns supreme,
"How great the charm, how sweet the bliss
That finds expression in a kiss."
A free and proper use of PLANTATION BIT-
TERS will inspire the souls of both sexes with
pure and high-toned sentiments of affection,
and capacity for rare and exquisite enjoyment
in each other's society. Remember there is no
place like home, and no passion like love—and
nothing to link the two together and yoke, and
bind the great Family Blessing, PLANTATION
BITTERS. ap 7-1w

PUBLIC HEALTH. THE PRESS

PUBLIC HEALTH. THE PRESS Advertising has been pronounced "undignified"
by the medical faculty. A physician who ad-
vertises a valuable remedy to fifty people in his
private practice would receive the cold shoulder
from his professional brethren, should he make
his merits known to millions through the business
columns of a newspaper press. This may be "dis-
tasteful," but is it benevolent, humane, or just?
Whoever is fortunate enough to discover or in-
vent anything that will prevent, or cure, or al-
leviate human suffering is bound to make it known
through every channel of communication within
his reach, to the general public. For many years
the merits of HOSBETTER'S CELEBRATED
STOMACH BITTERS have thus been proclaimed
to the world, and multitudes have been restored
to health or saved from fatal maladies in conse-
quence. As new facts have been developed in re-
lation to the operation of this most pure and po-
tent of all Stomachics and Alteratives, they have
been stated in simple language to the people of
many lands; and if the proprietors of the medicine
have derived profit from their dissemination,
thousands upon thousands of individuals have
benefited thereby to an extent beyond all
estimate. In the West Indies, Canada, Australia
and South America, HOSBETTER'S BITTERS are
now recognised as the sole specific for Dyspepsia,
the best protective safeguard against epidemics,
and the finest invigorant in cases of General Debility,
and the only digestive stimulant, entirely free from
noxious ingredients. ap 5-2w

IF PEOPLE WHO SUFFER FROM THE DULL STUPIDITY

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that makes us forgetful in spring and summer,
and who are unable to remember the names of
all seasons of the year, or how quick it could
be cured by taking AYER'S SARSAPARILLA to
cure the blood, and thus the system, and the
better neighbors as well as clearer heads to deal
with. ap 7-1w

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We are now prepared to exhibit our stock of Men's
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ASSASSINATION OF

THE PRESIDENT.

ATTEMPTED MURDER OF SECRE-

TARY SEWARD AND SONS.

Despatches from Secretary Stanton.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15—1.30 P. M.
Major General John A. Dix, New York:
Last evening, at 10.30 p. m., at Ford's Thea-
ter, the President, while sitting in his private
box with Mrs. Lincoln, Miss Harris, and Maj.
Rathbun, was shot by an assassin who en-
tered the box. He approached behind the
President. The assassin then leaped upon the
stage, brandishing a large dagger or knife,
and made his escape by the rear of the theater.
The pistol ball entered the back of the Presi-
dent's head. The wound is mortal. The Presi-
dent has been insensible ever since it was in-
flicted, and is now dying.

About the same hour an assassin, either the
same or another, entered Mr. Seward's house
and, under pretence of having a prescription,
was shown to the Secretary's sick chamber.
The Secretary was in bed, a nurse and Miss
Seward with him. The assassin immediately
rushed to the bed, inflicting two or three stabs
on the throat, and two in the face. It is hoped
the wounds may not be mortal. My apprehen-
sion is that they will prove fatal. The nurse
alarmed Mr. Frederick Seward, who was in an
adjoining room, and hastened to the door of
his father's room, where he met the assassin,
who inflicted upon him one or more dangerous
wounds. The recovery of Frederick Seward is
doubtful.

It is not probable that the President will live
through the night.
Gen. Grant and wife were advertised to be
at the theater this evening, but the latter
started to Burlington at six o'clock last even-
ing.

A Cabinet meeting, at which Gen. Grant
was present to-day, the subject of the state of
the country, and the prospects of speedy peace
were discussed. The President was very cheer-
ful and hopeful, spoke very kindly of Gen.
Lee and others of the Confederacy, and the es-
tablishment of Government in Virginia. All
the members of the Cabinet, except Mr. Sec-
retary, are now in attendance upon the Presi-
dent. I have seen Mr. Seward, but he and
Frederick were both unconscious.

E. M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15, 1865.
Lieutenant General Grant:
The President still breathes, but is quite in-
sensible, as he has been ever since he was shot.
He evidently did not see the person who shot
him, but was looking on the stage, as he was
approached behind.

Mr. Seward has rallied, and it is hoped he
may live. Frederick Seward's condition is
very critical. The attendant who was present
was stabbed through the lungs, and is not ex-
pected to live. The wounds of Major Seward
are not serious.

Investigation strongly indicates J. Wilkes
Booth as the assassin of the President. Whether
it was the same, or a different person that
attempted to murder Mr. Seward, remains dou-
bful.

Chief Justice Chase is engaged in taking
the evidence. Every exertion has been made to
prevent the escape of the murderer. His
horse has been found on the road near Wash-
ington.

EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15—4.10 A. M.
Major General Dix, New York:
The President continues insensible, and is
sinking. Secretary Seward remains without
change. Frederick Seward's skull is fractured
in two places, besides a severe cut upon the
head. The attendant is still alive, but hope-
less.

Major Seward's wounds are not dangerous.
It is now ascertained with reasonable certai-
nity, that two assassins were engaged in the
horrible crime—Wilkes Booth being the one
that shot the President; the other, a companion of
his, whose name is not known, but whose de-
scription is so clear that he can hardly escape.

It appears, from a letter found in Booth's
trunk, that the murder was planned before
the fourth of March, but fell through then
because the accomplice backed out until Rich-
mond could be heard from. Booth and his
accomplice were at the lively stable at six
o'clock last evening, and left there with their
horses about ten o'clock, or shortly before that
hour.

It would seem that they had for several
days been seeking their chance, but for some
unknown reason, it was not carried into effect
until last night. One of them has evidently
made his way to Baltimore, the other has not
yet been traced.

EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD.

HEADQUARTERS DEPT. OF WAR, WASHINGTON,
April 15, 1865.
A REWARD OF TEN THOUSAND DOL-
LARS will be paid to the party or parties ar-
resting the murderer of the President, Mr.
Lincoln, and the assassin of the Secretary of
State, Mr. Seward, and his son.

C. C. AUGER,
Major-General, Com'd'g Department.

GENERAL GRANT ADVISED OF PRES-

IDENT LINCOLN'S ASSASSINATION.

PHILADELPHIA, April 11.—General Grant
received the news of the attempted assassina-
tion of the President when at Walnut street
wharf, when about taking the cars for Bur-
lington.

ASSOCIATED PRESS ACCOUNT.

President Lincoln and wife, together with
other friends, last evening visited Ford's
Theater for the purpose of witnessing the per-
formance of the American Cousin. It was
announced in the newspapers that Gen. Grant
would also be present, but that gentleman, in-
stead, took the late train of cars for New Jer-
sey. The theater was densely crowded, and
everybody seemed delighted with the scene
before them.

During the third act, and while there was a
temporary pause for one of the actors to enter,
a sharp report of a pistol was heard, which
merely attracted attention, but suggesting no-
thing serious, until a man rushed to the front
of the stage, waving a long dagger in his
right hand, and exclaiming "Sic Semper
Tyranni," and immediately leaped from the
box, which was of the second tier, to the stage
beneath, and ran across to the opposite side,
thus making his escape, amid the bewilder-
ment of the audience, from the rear of the
theater, and mounting a horse, fled.

The screams of Mrs. Lincoln first disclosed
the fact to the audience that the President had
been shot, when all present rose to their feet,
rushing toward the stage, exclaiming, "Hang
him!"

The excitement was of the wildest possible
character, and, of course, there was an abrupt
termination of the theatrical performance.

There was a rush towards the President's

box, when cries were heard, "Stand back!"

"Give him air!" "Has any one stimulants?"

On a hasty examination it was found that
the President had been shot through the head,
above and back of the temporal bone, and that
some of the brain was oozing out. He was re-
moved to the private residence of Mr. Petersen,
opposite to the theater, and the Surgeon Gen-
eral of the Army and other surgeons sent for to
attend to his condition.

On examination of the private box blood
was discovered on the back of the cushioned
rocking chair in which the President had been
sitting, also on the parterre and on the floor.

A common single barrelled pocket pistol was
found on the carpet.

A military guard was placed in front of the
private residence to which the President had
been conveyed.

An immense crowd was in front of it, all
deeply anxious to learn the condition of the
President. It had been previously announced
that the wound was mortal, but all hoped other-
wise.

Shock to the community was terrible.

At midnight the Cabinet, with Messrs. Sum-
ner, Colfax, Farnsworth, Judge Carter, Gov.
Ogleby, General Meigs, Major Hay, and a few
others, gathered at the residence of Mr. Seward,
and his medical associates, were around his
bedside. The President was in a state of syn-
cope, totally insensible, and breathing slowly,
the blood coaling from the wounds, and the
surgeons were exhausting every possible effort
of medical skill, but all hope was gone. The
parting of his family with the dying Presi-
dent is too sad for description.

The President Lincoln died at fifteen minutes
past eight o'clock. Speaker Colfax was at the
White House at the time, and the President
was lying on his back, with his head toward
Mrs. Lincoln had not been well, because the
papers had advertised that General Grant and
himself were to be present, and as General
Grant had gone to Burlington, she wished the
audience to be disappointed. He went with
apparent reluctance, and urged Mr.